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In re application of:

Naoyuki TAKAHASHI et al.

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**Amendment After Final Rejection**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 14, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.

It is not believed that any fees are due with the filing of this paper. If such fees are due, the Office is authorized to charge deposit account no. 22-0261 and requested to notify the undersigned accordingly.